LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, JULY 1, 2003,** upon the application of **CABOT OIL & GAS CORP.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Nonion Struma Zone**, **Reservoir D and Nodosaria B Zone**, **Reservoir C**, in the Ellis Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana.

NONION STRUMA ZONE, RESERVOIR D

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 605 acres for the Nonion Struma Zone, Reservoir D, designated as the NS RD SUA, all as shown more particularly on the plat submitted with the application.

The Nonion Struma Zone, Reservoir D, in the Ellis Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 12,060' and 12,888' (ELM) in the Sun Oil Company - C J Freeland No. 1 Well, located in Section 22, Township 9 South, Range 1 West.

NODOSARIA B ZONE, RESERVOIR C

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 660 acres for the Nodosaria B Zone, Reservoir C, designated as the NOD B RC SUA, all as shown more particularly on the plat submitted with the application.

The Nodosaria B Zone, Reservoir C, in the Ellis Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 12,990' and 14,100' (ELM) in the Sun Oil Company - Hetzel No. 2 Well, located in Section 24, Township 9 South, Range 1 West and the top of the Nob B Zone, Reservoir C is further defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered at the depth of 12,888' (ELM) in the Sun Oil Company - C J Freeland No. 1 Well, located in Section 22, Township 9 South, Range 1 West.

FOR THE SANDS ABOVE

- 1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the said units.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the units created herein.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

Plats are for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana. www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

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ELLIS FIELD 03-491 and 03-492

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 5/21/03;5/24/03 L dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.